
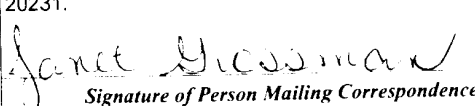


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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)			Docket No. 11133z		
Applicant(s): B. Tjellstrom, et al.					
Serial No. 09/925,671	Filing Date August 9, 2001	Examiner J. H. Roark	Group Art Unit 1644		
Invention: ORAL IMMUNOGLOBULIN TREATMENT FOR INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE					
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted. <input type="checkbox"/> A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
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Peter I. Bernstein Registration No. 43,497 Scully, Scott, Murphy & Presser 400 Garden City Plaza Garden City, New York 11530 (516) 742-4343			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"><p>I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on March 10, 2003 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.</p><p> Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</p><p style="text-align: center;">Janet Grossman Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</p></div>		
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 and 1.143

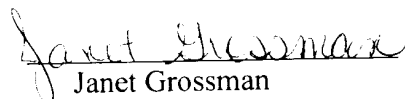
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 10, 2003, setting forth a requirement for species election and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 and 1.143, Applicants provisionally elect, with traverse, the method of treatment comprising administering a pooled human polyclonal immunoglobulin preparation comprising at least about 25% IgG polyclonal antibodies.

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